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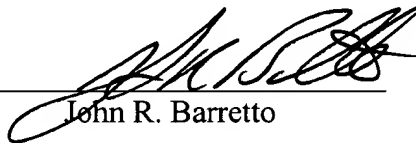Application No: 09/801,130   )   Art Unit: 3623
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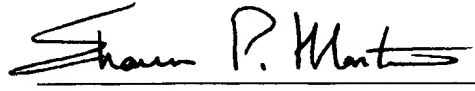
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